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No. EV 619617811 US

PATENTS  
Attorney Docket No. 103080-P01-065<sup>1</sup>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicants : Fissore et al.  
Application No. : 10/747,772 Confirmation No. : 6476  
Filed : December 29, 2003  
For : SPERM-INDUCED CELLULAR ACTIVATION  
Group Art Unit : 1632  
Examiner : Peter Paras, Jr.

New York, New York 10020  
January 10, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment  
Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the October 12, 2005 Office Action, which action is a requirement for restriction. A petition to extend the time to respond to this Office Action by two months is filed concurrently herewith and payment of the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 is authorized in that

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<sup>1</sup> This case has been transferred to Ropes & Gray LLP and this is Ropes & Gray's docket number for this case.

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petition paper. With the extension of time, this response is due on January 12, 2005, thus, this response is timely filed.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.